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QUESTION OF INCOME

By BELLE MANIATES

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On "butter day" little Susie Bradley always wiped the breakfast dishes. She was making but little progress with that occupation now, however, by reason of running to look out the window every few minutes. Although she took a handful of silver, a platter or a pile of plates with her on each trip, wiping as she went, she was not keeping pace with Rosie, the help, who was washing the dishes.

"I vow, Susie, this is the tenth time you have gone to that window!"

"Oh, I can't wait to see her!" sighed Susie. "I am so afraid the train is late."

The coming of the city cousin, Kathryn Randall, was always an event. The visit generally occurred on a strawberry or harvest time, but what could have induced her to come to the farm in November was beyond the combined conjectures of the Randall family. She had written a short note saying she would be there that morning for a long visit.

"Can hardly wait for what, Susie?" asked a manly voice.

Susie looked up into the handsome face of Neil Milnes, one of the men from the city who were camping down on the river for the shooting season.

It was Neil's turn to come for the milk and butter with which Mrs. Bradley supplied them.

"My cousin. She is coming to visit us, and, oh, she is so lovely and wears such beautiful clothes!"

Milnes laughed and walked out through the woodshed and across fields of stubble to join his companions.

"I can just imagine the city cousin," he thought, "clad in a lacy shirt, waist suit and a picture hat from the bazaar at \$1.39, overwhelming the country folk about here with her style."

He heard the round of running feet behind and turned, expecting to see a young colt, but it was Susie.

"Mother said I could go down to the river and meet them and ride home with them."

"Your cousin will think she has fallen in clover when she hears there are four young men on the premises," he suggested.

"Oh, she has lots of beaux," replied Susie loftily.

"Then she'll be sure to want more. Tell her we are all married, will you?"

Susie, however, had caught the sound of distant wheels and sped quickly away. Milnes met them riding in the light wagon, Mr. Bradley and the baggage on the first seat, and Susie perched proudly on the back seat beside the most stunning looking girl that he had ever seen. Mr. Bradley reined up and presented Milnes to his niece, Miss Randall, who acknowledged the introduction cordially. Then they drove on, and Milnes, recalling her tailored traveling coat with the big bunch of violets fastened at the belt, the chic hat and correct appointments of well-gloves and purse, also foreign labeled steamer trunk, was amused at his preconception of the "city cousin."

He went on to the camp racking his brains for a plausible errand to the farmhouse, but his wits, usually fertile, refused to suggest. Finally he resolved to go away and await an inspiration. When he reached the farmhouse, Miss Randall, charmingly gowned, was in the kitchen with her aunt. She hardly vouchsafed the young man a glance.

"Oh, Mr. Milnes, what can I do for you?" asked Mrs. Bradley.

"Why—er—oh, we want some more butter," he said desperately.

"What have you done with all that you got this morning?" she exclaimed.

"Well, you see, it's Johnson's turn to cook, and he uses so much butter!"

Mrs. Bradley's eyes twinkled as she got a roll of butter, while Susie giggled outright, and he could see that Miss Randall was amused, though she was quite ignoring his presence. Suddenly it came to him in a flash that Susie had repeated his remarks. He turned to go, and Mrs. Bradley said good-naturedly:

"Susie, go as far as the barn with Mr. Milnes and show him where to get some cider."

On the way out he asked Susie anxiously if she had told what he said.

"Oh, yes," she replied cheerfully. He groaned.

"What did your cousin say?"

"She said you didn't look like such a cad."

He winced and was silent for a moment. Then he said suddenly:

"Say, Susie, is her father's name Wellman Randall?"

"Yes, Uncle Wellman is her father. He is awfully rich."

Of course he was. Every one knew of Wellman Randall, the successful speculator.

"I am sorry," he said half to himself. "Why?" asked Susie indignantly.

"Uncle Wellman is lovely."

"I know he is, but I wish he were poor."

Such a wish was beyond Susie's understanding, and she thought he was joking. All day he loafed and smoked by himself and thought of the vision at the Bradley's. At twilight he insisted that the milk was sour and went up to the house for a fresh supply. By good fortune Miss Randall was alone in the orchard.

"Miss Randall," he said, coming up to her, "we are all prone at times to say utterly idle words that we don't mean. I couldn't know that you were—"

"That I was what?" she asked as he hesitated.

"That you were the hundredth woman. Until I saw you I had no reason

to suppose that you were not one of the ninety-nine. I don't wonder you think me a cad, though."

She blushed a little.

"I am afraid Susie is leaky," she said. Further conversation was prevented by Mr. Bradley's appearance upon the scene.

"Come, Kathryn, if you want to go with me to see the committee. We must be starting."

"Yes, uncle. Good night, Mr. Milnes." And she walked away, leaving Neil discomfited.

The next day, Sunday, the men were away from camp fishing save Neil, whose turn it was to cook dinner.

While in the tent he heard steps approaching and then a fall. Going out, he saw Susie sprawled on the ground by the side of a pumpkin pie. Both were quite disturbed on the surface.

"Oh, dear," sobbed Susie, "mother took such pains, and I walked so slow and careful all the way!"

Milnes always had a tender sympathy with the woes of children. He picked Susie up in his arms and sat down in the hammock with her, kissed her gently and wiped away the rain of tears.

"See here, dear," he said soothingly. "The pie is all right. We can smooth it down, and if we can't we'll call it pudding. We needn't tell any one at the house, and the fellows don't know the proper style for a pie. You stay and watch me get dinner and help eat it, and then we'll have a boat ride."

Susie was quickly comforted. She was not used to being petted except by Cousin Kathryn, and her heart went straight into Neil's service henceforth.

"Cousin Kathryn is going to stay here and teach the school. Our teacher is ill and has gone away. Isn't that lovely?"

"What in a world is she going to do that for?" he asked in amazement.

"I mustn't tell. Cousin Kathryn told me it wasn't nice to repeat things."

Neil questioned no further. "It's some whim," he thought, "or a wager. She won't keep that up very long."

When Kathryn went to Susie's bedside that night for a little visit with her cousin she casually mentioned Neil's name.

The child sat up in bed, her eyes shining.

"I love him!" she cried.

"Why, Susie?"

Thereupon Susie confided the fate of the pie and told how he had kissed and comforted her. The next morning when Neil chanced to be strolling in the lane near the little schoolhouse he met Kathryn. To his surprise she stopped and spoke to him, smiling graciously.

"Susie told me how good you were to her," she said.

"Susie's a darling!" he exclaimed. "And say, Miss Randall, if I can help you in the school or anyway—"

She laughed.

"Oh, I can manage the school all right. I understand children."

"I shall come and see how you get on," he declared.

He appeared in the schoolroom the very next day and announced that he had come to "visit."

She was provoked, but she could not turn him out. She had written some words on the blackboard for the pupils to use in sentences. She now pointed to the first one, "income."

"Who can make a sentence and use that word correctly?" she asked.

"Do call on that little fat boy for a sentence or he'll wring his hand off," whispered Neil.

She gave the youngster the floor, and he jumped to his feet in triumph, yelling:

"In come a rat!"

That was too much for Neil's composure, and he gave way to an infectious fit of laughter, in which teacher and scholars joined.

"You had better go now," she said to her visitor.

"If I'll promise not to come in again may I come every afternoon and row you and Susie home by the river way?"

She consented to this arrangement and thenceforth came hitheron days—to Neil and Susie at least.

November vanished, and so did the hunters, save Neil, who lingered and upon Mrs. Bradley's invitation took up his quarters at the farmhouse. He was very happy except when he remembered how paltry his income would appear in comparison with Miss Randall's millions. Susie used to watch him closely when he was in one of these reveries, and her wistful little heart, enlightened by her affection for Neil, divined the cause. She reached a decision. Her opportunity came that evening. She went to the barn to hold the lantern for Neil while he got some cider.

"I am going to tell you why Cousin Kathryn teaches school," she said bluntly.

"Oh, but you shouldn't, Susie! Didn't she tell you not to?"

"No. She didn't say not to tell that especially. Besides, every one knows but you. You know you wished Uncle Wellman was poor?"

"Yes," he said, his heart beating with hope.

"He is now. He lost everything he had in a minute, and he sent Cousin Kathryn here to stay while he went west to make some money, and she would teach so as to help him."

"Susie, Susie, you are my good angel," he cried in delight.

The light of love and hope so transfigured his countenance that Kathryn turned pale when she saw him. When the Bradley family had considerably gone to bed at an earlier hour than usual Neil told Kathryn all that was in his heart.

"Dear," he said reproachfully, "why didn't you tell me of your father's loss?"

"I was afraid you'd think I was imagining myself 'in clover.' Besides, it shouldn't be a question of income—"

"A rat!" he finished, laughing.

TEACHING THE HORSE.

Will Learn Anything His Muscles Can Perform.

Expert horsemen believe that a horse can be taught to do anything that it is possible for an animal so formed and to be utterly fearless. Thus we know of horses rushing into battle with a fearlessness that is magnificent, although in the beginning of their lives they may have been foolishly timid, shying at everything unusual that happened to be seen in their travels.

In order to teach a horse fearlessness he must be accustomed to all sorts of sights and sounds. He must come to know that because something that he sees or hears is unusual it does not follow that it is harmful, for it is the unusual things that frighten him. The horse is an animal of one idea at a time and is not able to discriminate, so say the men who have made a study of the horse. While he will travel along quietly close by the roof of a train, he may tremble at the flutter of a piece of loose paper flying in the wind. It is not the frightfulness of the object that seems to alarm him, but the unfamiliarity of it. Horse trainers say that the mistakes made in "breaking" and training a colt is that it is too often done in the seclusion of some country road instead of amid the sights and sounds that the animal must necessarily become familiar with later.

As soon as the horse becomes familiar with anything and has learned to believe that it will not hurt him he will stand quietly or trot along peacefully, even though all sorts of noises and queer sights are about him. Thus the artillery horse will stand amid the roar of cannons, being used to the noise and not knowing that the sound predicts anguish and death. It is well to accustom a horse to unusual sounds as soon as possible after he is trained for riding or driving. It renders him safe and docile, even though he be a spirited animal. A certain trainer of horses said that an ideal school for horses would contain thrashing machines, pile drivers, steam drills, electric, steam and elevated cars, a band of musical instruments and a gang of quarrymen blasting rock. A horse that was drilled among such a bedlam as this would indeed prove immune to strange noises. The gentle family horse, petted by man and child, is not always trained to all this, yet he often makes a useful and faithful animal, loved by his owner and evidently making some return of affection.—Detroit Tribune.

A Poor Recipe.

"Don't talk to me about the recipes in that magazine," said Mrs. Lane, with great energy. "Wasn't that the very magazine that advised me to put on that soy solution and leave the tablecloth out overnight to take off those yellow stains?"

"I'm inclined to think it may have been," said Mrs. Lane's sister, with due meekness. "I sent you a number of them in the spring, I remember."

"Well, and what happened?" asked Mrs. Lane, with rising wrath.

"Didn't the stains disappear?" asked her sister.

"Disappeared," said Mrs. Lane in a withering tone. "It was the tablecloth that disappeared. I don't know anything about the stains."

Late Beginning.

Sir Walter Scott began to write his celebrated novels at forty. Milton began "Paradise Lost" at fifty. When "East Lynne" appeared its author, Mrs. Henry Wood, was forty-five. Cromwell was forty-one when he began his public career. The year of the hebra was the fifty-third of Mohammed, and Marlborough reached his independent command at the same age. In spiritual examples Abraham was seventy-five when called out of Charran, and Moses was eighty when he stood before Pharaoh as the champion of Israel.

They Were All Right.

He was a typical backwoods farmer. His first visit to a city restaurant, however, had taken away none of the appetite he had at home, where everything was placed in large dishes on the center of the table and each one helped himself. The waiter had piled the food around the plate in the customary little dishes, which the farmer cleaned up in turn. Settling back in his chair, he hailed the passing waiter:

"Hey, there, young man! Your samples are all right. Bring on the rest of the stuff."—Judge.

John Bright's Reply.

On one occasion John Bright received a letter from a very bad writer, to which he replied:

Dear Sir—Many thanks for your letter of the 12th inst. I have no doubt but that it is a very good letter and that it contains matter as interesting as it is important; but, by the bye, if you should be in town in the course of a few days, would you mind just stepping in and reading it to me? Yours faithfully,

JOHN BRIGHT.

A Watch's Variation.

As to the sympathetic vagaries of watches a correspondent writes: "I discovered some years ago that it was the metal buckle of my braces that caused the irregularities of my own particular watch. I therefore now make a rule of putting my spectacle case on the inside of my watch pocket, thus cutting off the connection."—London Chronicle.

Mutual Slips.

Tom—What made you give me away so when I was telling that yarn at the dinner table? Dick—I didn't mean to; it was only a slip of the tongue. But that's no reason why you should have kicked me so hard! Tom—Oh, I didn't mean to—it was only a slip of the foot.

—Detroit Free Press.

Ingratitude is a form of weakness. I have never known a man of real ability to be ungrateful.—Goethe.

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Sonoma, Sonoma County, Cal., December 24, 1904.

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Christmas Spirit.

Another Christmas is upon us, the Christmas of 1905, as full of joy and gladness as was that glorious Christmas tide of the nativity. The symbol is the same, though ages change and individuals pass away. The spirit lingers and thrills the hearts of young and old. What would life be without such a holiday? It is now that well wishing and gift giving proclaims "good will toward men." It is now we all feel like breathing a benediction on our fellows. It is too bad the Christian spirit does not fill the every-day hours of our lives. It would make them sweeter and make men better. Hate and jealousy are the things we should banish—not anything that is symbolic of Christmas cheer and Christian spirit. We praise the heart in the warmth of which Santa Claus came into being, and scorn the parsimony that would do away with the joy that follows in his wake. Too many of us forget to be what we should in this mad age of rush and money making. The commercial spirit freezes the spirit which should possess us. We forget to be kind. We forget to be generous. Many pass all these factors by in their effort to reach some wished-for goal, and some times gain it to find they have forgotten the meaning of consideration, love, charity and appreciation, and have nothing left but a heart full of malice, discontent and suspicion. They have grown so apart from the Christmas spirit that they curse it when it comes as an infringement on their practicability. Let us not fall into such a rut. From this very Christmas, catch the true spirit, the only right spirit of "peace on earth, good will toward men." Let us love, not hate. Let us cheer, not discourage. Be all the makers of life's sunshine, whose golden hue will tinge the morrow and all the days to come.

THERE is much stress laid these days upon the statement that heredity does not stamp the child's career, but that we are all the result of environment. Environment undoubtedly has a great influence upon us all, and in the course of time it can overcome hereditary tendencies, but what is in the blood and bred in the bone is hard to eradicate. Some optimistic philanthropists hate to admit that we are shackled to the prenatal influences, and would like to have us all free agents, with no heritage but what we can get for ourselves from our environments. Hereditary characteristics may be good or bad, and may be modified by environment. But it is a well known fact that acquired characteristics are not as fixed as natural characteristics. Place the natural musician in however unfavorable surroundings, and the musical soul will out. Put a musician whose music is the result of education in an unfavorable environment, and the music will be forgotten. So it is with bad characteristics. It takes a strenuous environment to overcome a bad natural streak. There is a lesson in this persistence of hereditary characteristics. Let us all be careful to pass down the good to future generations. There should be a more sane selection of parentage, from a moral, physical and mental standpoint.

MOST of the readers who have been following the Dolbeer case are glad to hear that Miss Warren will receive the money bequeathed to her. She was the beloved friend of the deceased society girl. The uncle was nothing to her, only in name. The jury evidently recognized the fact that too often relatives are thrust upon us, while we may choose our friends of our own volition.

A MAN is getting a collection of fleas. He must be present at many hops.

Now children, here's a warning—
Don't hang stockings up that's bad,
'Cause the morning after Santa comes
You'll wish you never had.
He's passed a resolution,
After puzzling his head,
That when holes were in a stocking
He'd raise particular Ned.
Instead of leaving presents,
Such as dolls and wagons red,
He'll leave a darning needle
And a spool of strong, good thread.
Now children, here's a warning—
If you want the wagon quick,
Get a stocking that is solid,
And play solid with St. Nick.

Resolution to Improve Sonoma Creek.

Theodore Bell has introduced the following joint resolution in the House of Representatives, which was referred to the Committee on Rivers and Harbors, and ordered to be printed:

Resolved, By the Senate and House of Representatives of the United States of America in Congress assembled—That the Secretary of War be, and is hereby directed to cause an examination and survey to be made to determine the work necessary to be done, and the cost of the same, to improve Sonoma Creek, in the State of California.

The Daily Evening Post and Sonoma Index-Tribune for one year for both papers, only \$7.

Daily Evening Bulletin, Sunday morning Bulletin and Index-Tribune all for a year for \$7.80.

Solani Found Guilty of Manslaughter.

J. Solani, who has been on trial for killing J. Guidotti at Glen Ellen, was found guilty of manslaughter by the jury on Tuesday in Judge Seawell's Department of the Superior Court.

The prisoner heard the verdict without much outward manifestation of feeling. At one time the jurors stood seven for finding the prisoner guilty of murder in the first degree.

After Christmas.

After Christmas you'll find more new, seasonable goods to take the place of the holiday goods sold out. Don't forget we are always on the move, and have merchandise of all kinds at prices that will interest you. The Sonoma Racket Store.

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CALENDAR DAY IN SUPERIOR COURT

A resume of the calendar day proceedings in the Superior Court is as follows:

In Department One, Judge Seawell presiding, Mrs. Blanch E. Wagner was named executrix, without bonds, of the will of Thomas Skelton, Glaister.

Nelson Drago's will was admitted to probate, and Mrs. Margaret Drago was named executrix without bonds.

Distribution was ordered of the estate of Mrs. Martha A. Davis.

The final accounts were settled and distribution ordered of the estates of Emile A. Bee, J. H. Holman and Frederika Rufus. An attorney fee of \$75 was allowed in the latter case.

A sale of realty was granted in the estate of James M. Toppan.

Mrs. Anna Adeline Soldate was named administratrix of the estate of Orlando Soldate, in a bond of \$3000.

A sale of personal property was authorized in the estate of Rachel Head.

A sale of realty was confirmed in the estate of Frank M. Harrison.

The first annual account of the estate of Everett R. Smith and others was settled and allowed. Mrs. Bertha E. Smith, the guardian, will be relieved of her duties, when all the property is turned over to the person qualified to accept it.

A sale of realty was confirmed in the estate of Joseph P. Platt.

These probate matters were continued: Estates of Armstead Gontley, George W. Park, Jacob Allenman, William Carrier and Leonard Schwan to December 27th.

The action of J. L. Peterson vs. John Doe Allenman was continued to January 3d.

In Department Two, Judge Burnett presiding, these matters were continued: People vs. Guyon and Ham, to December 22d; Haile vs. Grace, Tyler vs. Smith, to December 27th; Wickersham Banking Company vs. Nichols, to January 3d; Exchange Bank vs. Annie Veirs et al., to December 20th; Roney vs. Reynolds, to December 21st; estates of Lydia Wickersham and I. G. Wickersham, to January 3d.

The Call has arranged to give away six rose plants free with a six months' subscription to the Daily S. F. Call, or a renewal of your subscription. Bring us in your subscription, and select six varieties of rose plants.

Xmas Services.

On Sunday next, Xmas Day, Mass will be celebrated in St. Francis' Church at 6:30 A. M. and 11 A. M. The last Mass will be a High Mass, at which an augmented choir, under the direction of Mrs. Lulu Emparnon, will sing Concone's Mass. In the new church at Glen Ellen Mass will be celebrated on Xmas Day at 9 A. M.

SEED TIME

The experienced farmer has learned that some grains require far different soil than others; some crops need different handling than others. He knows that a great deal depends upon right planting at the right time, and that the soil must be kept enriched. No use of complaining in summer about a mistake made in the spring. Decide before the seed is planted.

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Coughing Spell Caused Death.
Harry Duckwell, aged 25 years, choked to death early yesterday morning at his home, in the presence of his wife and child. He contracted a slight cold a few days ago, and paid but little attention to it. Yesterday morning he was seized with a fit of coughing which continued some time. His wife sent for a physician, but before he could arrive another coughing spell came on, and Duckwell died from suffocation. St. Louis Globe-Democrat, Dec. 1, 1901.

Evening Post and Index-Tribune \$7 per year.

CASTORIA.
Bears the Signature of *Chas. H. Fletcher*

Daily Call and Index-Tribune \$9 per year.

OFFICIAL.

NOTICE

—OF—

Sale of Franchise

Office of the Board of Trustees of the City of Sonoma, State of California, Sonoma, California, December 7th, 1904.

PUBLIC NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN that whereas Solomon Schocken and Oscar T. Weber did on the 7th day of December, 1904, make application to this Board for the granting to them, as trustees, of a franchise for a period of twenty-five years, to construct and operate an electric railroad for public use, over and along the public streets and highways hereinafter mentioned in the City of Sonoma, County of Sonoma, State of California, and also, the right to construct, maintain and operate such electric railroad, to erect poles and wires, and all other necessary appliances and appurtenances thereto for transmitting heat and power for the same along and upon said public streets and highways.

The route for said proposed electric railroad and the public streets and highways in said city along and over which it is proposed to run the same, are as follows: Commencing at the North end of Second street East or Berryessa street, at the North boundary line of the corporate limits of the City of Sonoma, thence southerly along said street to its intersection with Spain or Vallejo street, thence westerly along said Spain or Vallejo street to First street East, thence southerly along First street East to Napa or United States street, thence westerly along Napa or United States street to Broadway, thence southerly along Broadway to Jackson or German street and the South boundary line of the City of Sonoma.

Also, commencing at the intersection of Broadway with Napa street, thence westerly along Napa street to its intersection with West Fifth street and the West incorporated limits of the City of Sonoma.

And asking that the said franchise may be granted upon such terms, conditions and restrictions as in the judgment of this Board may be necessary and proper. Now, therefore, in compliance with the provisions of an Act of the Legislature entitled "An Act providing for the sale of street railroad and other franchises to municipalities, and providing conditions for the granting of such franchises by legislative or other governing bodies, and repealing conflicting acts, which Act became a law under constitutional provision without the Governor's approval, March 11, 1901," as amended by section two (2), five (5), and seven (7) of said Act, approved March 4th, 1903.

Be it resolved, that public notice be given and the same be hereby given of the fact and said application of said Solomon Schocken and Oscar T. Weber has been filed, asking for said franchise and privilege; and that the same was on the seventh day of December, 1904, filed in the office of the Clerk of said Board.

Be it further resolved, that it is the purpose of this Board to grant the same to the highest bidder who complies with the law, provided always, that the Board reserves the right to reject any or all bids that sealed bids or tenders will be received by the Board up to the hour of 8 o'clock P. M., of the first day of February, 1905, at which day and hour the said Board of Trustees will meet in the City Hall of the City of Sonoma, in open session, for the purpose of opening said sealed bids or tenders for the purchase of the franchise of the character, and for the term herein set forth. That the successful bidder and his assigns must, during the life of said franchise, pay to the said City of Sonoma two (2) per cent of the gross annual receipts of the person, partnership or corporation to whom the franchise is awarded arising from its use, operation or possession. No percentage shall be paid for the first five years succeeding the date of the franchise, but thereafter such percentage shall be payable annually; and in the event such payment is not made, said franchise shall be forfeited. Said franchise will be struck off, sold, and awarded to the person, firm or corporation who shall make the highest cash bid therefor; provided, only that at the time of the opening of said bids any responsible person, firm or corporation present or represented may bid for said franchise a sum not less than ten percent above the highest sealed bid therefor, and said bid so made may be raised not less than ten percent by any other responsible bidder, and said bidding may so continue until finally said franchise shall be struck off, sold, and awarded by the Board of Trustees of said City of Sonoma to the highest bidder therefor in Gold Coin of the United States. Each sealed bid shall be accompanied with a cash or a certified check, payable to the Treasurer of the City of Sonoma, and the full amount of said bid, and no sealed bid shall be considered unless said cash or check is enclosed therewith, and the successful bidder shall deposit, at least, ten percent of the amount of his bid with the Clerk of the City of Sonoma before the franchise shall be struck off to him. And if he shall fail to make such deposit immediately, then, and in that case, his bid shall not be received, and shall be considered as void, and the said franchise shall then and there be again offered for sale to cash bid therefor, subject to the same conditions as to deposit, as mentioned. Said franchise shall be forfeited if the amount of said bid is not deposited within twenty-four hours of the acceptance of it by the Board of Trustees of the City of Sonoma, and in case he or it shall fail to do so, then the said deposit theretofore made shall be forfeited, and the said award of said franchise shall be void, and the said franchise shall then and there, by said Board of Trustees of the City of Sonoma, be again offered for sale to the highest bidder therefor, in the same manner, and under the same restrictions as hereinbefore provided, and in case said bidder shall fail to deposit with the Clerk of the City of Sonoma the remaining ninety percent of his bid, within twenty-four hours after its acceptance, the

award to him of said franchise shall be set aside, and the deposit theretofore made by him shall be forfeited. The successful bidder for said franchise shall, within five days after the same shall have been awarded to him or it, file with the Board of Trustees of the City of Sonoma a bond running to said City of Sonoma, with, at least, two good and sufficient sureties, to be approved by the Board of Trustees of said city, in the penal sum of \$500.00, conditioned that such bidder shall well and truly observe, fulfill and perform each and every term and condition of such franchise and that in case of any breach of condition of such bond, the whole amount of the penal sum therein named shall be taken and deemed to be liquidated damages, and shall be recoverable from the principal and sureties upon said bond. Said bond shall be filed with the Board of Trustees of said City of Sonoma within five days after such franchise is awarded, and upon the filing and approval of such bond, the said franchise shall, by the Board of Trustees of said City of Sonoma, be granted by ordinance to the person, firm or corporation to whom it has been struck off, sold, or awarded, and in case that said bond shall not be so filed the award of such franchise shall be set aside, and any money paid therefor shall be forfeited.

The franchise to be granted will be substantially of the following character:

1. The privilege to construct, maintain and operate an electric railroad for public use as a freight and passenger railroad, along and upon and over the public streets and highways in said Sonoma City, in said County of Sonoma, State of California, hereinafter set forth.
2. That said franchise shall continue for a period of twenty-five years from the date of its being granted.
3. That said right and privilege shall not be exclusive.
4. The successful applicant for said franchise will be required to file with the clerk of the Board of Trustees of said city, within five days after the granting thereof its acceptance, in writing of the provisions of said franchise.

And be it further resolved that the fact that application for said franchise by said Solomon Schocken and Oscar T. Weber has been made to this Board, and that it proposes to grant the same to the highest bidder for cash, who complies with the law, be published in the Sonoma Index-Tribune, a weekly newspaper published and printed in the City of Sonoma, in said county and State, once a week for four successive weeks, according to law.

By order of the Board of Trustees of the City of Sonoma, State of California, December 7th, 1904.
JOSEPH B. SMALL, City Clerk.

MISCELLANEOUS.

NOTICE.

For the benefit of my Sonoma patrons who cannot come to Petaluma to buy their

X-Mas Gifts.

I have placed a fine line of

Novelties, etc.,

—AT—

Mrs. LUTGENS

To sell for me. If you don't see what you want she will get it for you. Prices the very lowest.

DAUNT

For Christmas presents and save money.

New Store

Offices To Let.

In CASTEX BUILDING, Napa street, Sonoma. Large store with connecting room.

Sunny offices up stairs. Hot and cold water. All modern improvements.

Apply on the premises to

A. CASTAX.

VICTORIA SALOON

East Side Plaza Sonoma

A. PINELLI, Proprietor.

Fine Wines, Liquors & Cigars

FAMILIES SUPPLIED

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SONOMA Meat Market

Conducted by

LEWIS & CUMMINGS,

Choice

Beef, Mutton, Pork, Sausage, Lard, Hams, Bacon, Etc.

Shop on Napa Street Near Union Hotel

DUHRING

OFFERS A FINE LINE OF

Holiday Goods.

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CHRISTMAS PRESENTS

At Hotz' Now on Display.

A Beautiful Holiday Line.

GIVE US A CALL.

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Having just received a NEW STOCK we are enabled to offer a good selection of Winter Suits at moderate prices

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Fine Job Printing

Executed at the INDEX-TRIBUNE Office
Promptness, neatness and a fair price is our motto. Bring us your printing.

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Stone Buildings erected, Cement Sidewalks, Stone Curbing and Stone Foundations laid. Fair Prices. Satisfaction Guaranteed. Residence, Spain st., SONOMA.

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Gents' Furnishing Goods. The Best and Cheapest in Town. BOOTS AND SHOES THAT WILL WEAR

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Napa St., Near Postoffice, Sonoma.



LEVI STRAUSS & CO'S
copper riveted
overalls
for men who
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BRIEF MENTION

Daunt for Christmas presents.
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Ladies' wool waists at G. H. Hotz's.
The New Year ball will be a swell affair.
Lumber at Camm & Hedges, Petaluma.
Ladies' lambs wool sweaters at G. H. Hotz's.
Lumber of all kinds at Camm & Hedges, Petaluma.
Chas. La Torres will make you good, durable shoes for \$5. See his samples.
Camm & Hedges, Petaluma, sell all kinds of lumber, laths, mouldings and mill work.
Fifty dollars was made at the ball given by the Glen Ellen Ladies' Improvement Club.
Our fine display of holiday goods is open and ready. We have everything you want. Gifts for young and old. Hotz's.
L. S. Simmons has an attractive holiday window. The miniature chimney, stockings and doll carry out the Santa Claus idea to perfection.
Charles McDevitt, who has been in a San Francisco hospital for some time as a result of electricity burns and injury to his leg, is now able to be up on crutches, and the doctors believe they can save his foot.
There is no better place to stop in San Francisco than at the Langham Hotel, corner Ellis and Mason streets. It is six stories high, fireproof, convenient to all attractions, close to all car lines, and offers all the advantages of superior hotel service at small cost. The rooms are large, clean and well ventilated and the management courteous, polite and hospitable. Write for booklet and rates.

PERSONAL AND SOCIAL MATTERS.

R. M. Sims was in town Sunday.
Miss Doris Clewe went to San Francisco Saturday morning.
There will be a meeting of the Women's Club this afternoon.
Mrs. F. F. Sprague is here from Vacaville, spending the holidays.
Mrs. Naumann and infant daughter are spending Christmas at the Bates home.
Mrs. Cassebohn of Petaluma celebrated her birthday Sunday by an informal dinner party.
Nancy Bates and Ramona Granice were little visitors to San Francisco Wednesday.
E. A. Husler and J. C. McLaughlin were over from Petaluma last Wednesday, and were warmly greeted by their many Sonoma friends.
Alex. Martin of the Schellville Gun and Rod Club came up from San Francisco last Tuesday evening for a week's shoot on the preserves of the club below Embarcadero.
Miss Eva Church was poisoned last week by eating supposed poisoned mushrooms, and was very ill for several hours afterwards.
Mrs. Burns and little son and daughter of San Francisco are spending the holidays with Mrs. Burn's mother, Mrs. M. Donahue of Embarcadero.
Miss Mignon Judson of San Francisco, who has been directing the choral here, will be married on Tuesday to a prominent young business man of the metropolis. Miss Judson is a lovely girl and a talented singer.

Broke Two Ribs.

A. E. Englund, while working up in a fruit tree one day this week, fell to the ground and broke two ribs.

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The Kind You Have Always Bought
Bears the Signature of *Dr. J. C. Fletcher*

OFFICER CAPTURES MILITARY PRISONER

Joe Ryan Returns a Negro Escapee to Authorities and Gets Reward.

On Monday last Deputy Sheriff Joe Ryan captured a negro named Mills, who had escaped from the military prison at Fort Baker last week with ten other prisoners, and returning him to the authorities, got the reward of \$50 which was offered for the capture of each prisoner.

Ryan made the arrest on the Potter ranch, where the negro had found employment.

The negro fought through the Philippine war, but was sentenced to serve fifteen years in prison for assaulting his sergeant in the army. His sentence was finally reduced to nine years, and Mills had served three years of his time when he made his escape.

Four of the ten who got away have now been captured. Mills declares that they all separated when they got out, and that a friendly civilian gave him a sweater and some clothes that would help disguise his prison garb. He was much surprised to find that there was not another negro in this vicinity, and realized that he had therefor necessarily attracted attention, which perhaps led to his capture so soon.

Rural Sportsmen's Protective Association.

A new club has been organized in this place, with a membership of eighteen, having for its purpose the protecting of the game and fish in the Sonoma Valley. The new organization, which will be known as the Rural Sportsmen's Protective Association, will have its membership greatly increased before the new year. The President of the new club is Dr. A. M. Thomson. The other officers are Charles Catter, Secretary, and John Wadsworth, Treasurer. There was an annual meeting of the club last night.

Another Accident Caused by Automobile.

On Saturday last J. Lafranchi, lessee of the Rexford ranch, while driving into town, met with a painful accident. The span of horses he was driving became frightened at a passing automobile and ran away, and he was unable to control the animals, who bolted across the road and ran into a telephone pole. The vehicle was badly damaged, and Lafranchi was thrown violently to the ground, sustaining numerous cuts and bruises about the face and head. He was assisted into town and taken to the Toscana Hotel, where he was laid up for several days.

Lost a Valuable Diamond.

Mrs. Robert P. Hill, President of the Sonoma Valley Women's Club, lost the valuable diamond setting out of a handsome ring she has been wearing of late one day this week. Mrs. Hill is not positive where the gem was lost, but thinks it dropped out of the setting one night while she was attending the Christmas Carnival. The diamond was a family heirloom, and valued at several hundred dollars.

Holiday Rates on the California Northwestern.

On account of Christmas and New Year holidays, return limit of Saturday to Monday tickets, sold on Saturday, December 24th and Sunday, December 25th, will be limited to Tuesday, December 27th, Saturday to Monday tickets, sold Saturday, December 31st, and Sunday, January 1, 1905, will be limited to January 3, 1905.

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\$50 Reward

For information leading to the arrest and conviction of the party or parties who broke into our boat-house, destroyed two boats and stole decoys.

Schellville Rod and Gun Club,
FRANK J. KUMPE, Secretary,
661 Third street, San Francisco, Cal.

EL VERANO.
By Happy Hooligan.

M. F. Mullen, Jr., is spending a few days in the metropolis.
Mrs. C. C. Carriger was a visitor to San Francisco last Saturday.
Mrs. J. Lamotte returned from San Francisco last Saturday evening.

William and George Baines returned to San Francisco last Sunday.

Mrs. Dutil and daughter visited in San Francisco the latter part of last week.

John Serres, mine host of the Bellevue Hotel, visited San Francisco Monday.

Dame rumor has it that another marriage is to take place here in the near future.

Attorney R. A. Poppe of Sonoma was a passenger on the Southern Pacific train Monday.

Jack Goodbrand left on the S. P. train Monday to take up his residence in another part of the State.

Phil Rossi is erecting a new building on his property here. A. E. Warriner is the contractor and builder.

"Happy Hooligan" wishes his friends and enemies in this place a Merry Christmas and a prosperous New Year.

Miss Perle Hanger of Sonoma passed through here Saturday on her return home after a pleasant visit in Sacramento.

L. Quartaroli and A. Pinelli of Sonoma boarded the Southern Pacific train at this place Monday on their way to Santa Rosa.

F. A. Riser, manager of the P. I. Company's ranch at this place, transacted business in San Francisco Sunday and Monday.

Frank M. Burris passed through here Monday morning en route to Santa Rosa after visiting his Sonoma relatives on Sunday.

Tony Cereghino, the popular young butcher of Glen Ellen, was a passenger on Sunday's northbound S. P. afternoon train.

Rudolph Spreckels shipped from the depot at this place on Wednesday twelve of his polo ponies to be entered in the races at Tanforan.

The wedding of A. J. Serres of the Bellevue Hotel and Miss Ada Riley was solemnized in St. Francis' Church, Sonoma, on Thursday.

Thos. O'Rourke, the genial conductor of the California Northwestern freight train, passed through here the fore part of the week.

E. H. Johansen, the popular young roadrunner of San Luis district, was in town Thursday wishing his El Verano friends a Merry Christmas.

Felicio Clerici visited Santa Rosa one day this week. That old dame, Rumor, has it that he returned with a marriage license in his inside pocket.

M. F. Redmond, an old-time resident of this place but now of San Francisco, came up Sunday to spend a few days with his daughter, Mrs. Joseph Dowdall.

Jack La Torres, a former resident of this place, came up from San Francisco on Friday of last week to attend the funeral of his father-in-law, the late J. Baines.

Oscar Weber, the electric railway promoter, accompanied by Press Davis and Carlos Emparan, passed through this place Monday on business connected with the projected electric railway from tide water to Sonoma.

Ralph Ent took in the Britt-Nelson boxing bout in San Francisco last Tuesday. Mr. Ent says that Jimmie is the best of the little men, but that if the Dane was of the same nation as Britt he would be "it" and do them all.

The funeral of the late John Baines held last Friday, the 16th inst., was largely attended by relatives and friends. Mr. Baines will be sadly missed as he was an honorable and straightforward neighbor. He leaves to mourn his loss six sons and two daughters and several grandchildren. The sons are W. E. and Thos. H. Baines, the real estate men; Charles, James, George and Harry Baines. The daughters are Mrs. Flanagan and Mrs. La Torres.

HAPPY HOOLIGAN.
El Verano, Dec. 22, 1904.

The Winter Route East.

When you think of going East, think of the Texas & Pacific, the true Southern Route, as it is called.

We can plan for you an ideal winter trip through the fertile San Joaquin Valley or down the picturesque coast line of the southern Pacific via Los Angeles, journeying through the beautiful orange and olive groves of southern California, getting a glimpse of the Old World civilization of Old Mexico en route and on through the cotton fields of the Southland.

Pullman and Tourist Sleepers to St. Louis and the East; a new and excellent dining car service—needs a la carte; stop-overs to visit the famous Hot Springs of Arkansas if desired.

For rate quotations, sleeper reservations, and all information about your trip, address or call upon Mr. W. J. Shotwell, General Agent, No. 625 Market street, San Francisco. It's not a bit of trouble to answer all your questions.

A BAL MASQUE CLOSES CARNIVAL

Womans' Club Bazaar Is Crowded Nightly and Affair Is a Success.

A grand bal masque brought the Womans' Club Christmas Carnival to a close on Wednesday. All three nights were a success, but the crowds were largest on Monday and Wednesday nights.

At Monday's matinee \$18 was made on the baby voting contest. Prizes were awarded to F. Poulson's baby, Dr. Scheuer's baby and to Mrs. Smok's baby.

The committees all worked hard to make the affair a success. There were a great number of maskers at the ball. Among those in costume were:

Mrs. Bates—Colored belle.
Will Clewe—Dude.
L. Skinner—Clown.
Guy Weems—Chinaman.
Ray Hunter—George Washington.
L. Brown—Cavalier.
W. Murphy—Court costume.
H. Dakin—Indian.
Miss Eva Church—Fancy costume.
Will Riegelbuth—Spanish Cavalier.

Mrs. Fred Schell—College Girl.
Alice Church—Star.
Mrs. Quartaroli—Indian girl.
Mrs. Adler—Gipsy.

Miss L. Quartaroli—Gipsy.
Mrs. Hotz—Japanese lady.
Mrs. McMullin—Japanese lady.
Mrs. Bethune—Japanese lady.
Mrs. Ed. Johansen—Fancy costume.
Miss Frazier—Night and Morning.

Mrs. Simmons—Co-Ed.
L. S. Simmons—Folly.
Miss Perle Hanger—Doll.
Miss Ruth Poppe—Domino.
Miss Watt—Fancy costume.
Mrs. Green—Domino.
Mrs. Giese—Domino.
Miss Giese—Domino.

Walter Poulson—Clown.
Will Ashe—Clown.
Jack Gottenberg—Clown.
J. Poppe, Jr.—Negro.
Granville Harris, Jr.—Clown.
Miss Marcy—Fancy Costume.
Miss Dakin—School girl.

Take the Index-Tribune for the local news of the Sonoma Valley.

Ayer's
You can hardly find a home without its Ayer's Cherry Pectoral. Parents know what it does for children: breaks

Cherry Pectoral
up a cold in a single night, wards off bronchitis, prevents pneumonia. Physicians advise parents to keep it on hand.

"The best cough medicine money can buy is Ayer's Cherry Pectoral. For the coughs of children nothing could possibly be better."
J. C. Ayer & Co., Lowell, Mass.
25c, 50c, \$1.00.
All druggists.

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Ayer's Pills greatly aid the Cherry Pectoral in breaking up a cold.

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GLEN ELLEN
By Chapple.

A little son was born to Mr. and Mrs. Luteken this week.

Mr. Chauvet is about to erect two cottages near Mr. Hardman's.

Miss Cecilia Crepin is convalescing from a severe spell of sickness.

Carl Dresel and H. J. Kerbridge of Sonoma were in town Monday.

Mrs. Frank A. Riser of El Verano transacted business here last Tuesday.

Mrs. Haskell and Miss Olive Trowbridge visited Santa Rosa last Saturday.

James A. Shaw passed through here one day this week, on his way to Sonoma.

Tonsorial artist Plum is spending his Christmas vacation in Contra Costa county.

Mr. Pieratt has given up his position in the city, and will live on his ranch near the Johnson ranch.

Mrs. Hathaway of Hathaway Villa has just returned from Fruitvale, where she has been visiting her parents.

George W. McDonald of San Francisco will in the early Spring build a nice two-story brick house near Mrs. McIntyre's.

John Cozad is now a full fledged barber, and with his good work and polite attendance on customers is building up a good trade.

Miss Pearl Allen came up from San Francisco and attended the Womans' Club ball on Friday evening last at the Mervyn Hotel.

Miss Carrie Lemoine is up from San Rafael, and will spend the holidays with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Frank Lemoine of this place.

Miss Annie Quein, who is attending the Santa Rosa High School, is expected home Friday to spend her mid-Winter vacation at the Queen home.

Mr. Alden Youngman is digging him a big reservoir that will hold an immense body of water. It is already piped to his house and garden.

George Hardman is doing a thriving business in his stationery and notion store in his new location. He is a courteous gentleman, and is deserving of the patronage of our people.

Charles Weise was out goose hunting in the tules south of Sonoma one day this week. Among other game secured were seven geese, which he killed with a double discharge of his shotgun.

Mrs. A. Nausbaum was painfully injured in a runaway accident on Tuesday near the Kohler place. The horse she was driving took fright and ran away, throwing her out. She had a lacerated scalp, a bad cut over the eye, and was otherwise bruised so seriously that Dr. Thomson was called in.

Dr. C. C. O'Donnell has already made arrangements to build a large two-story brick store, 40x60, on the corner of O'Donnell avenue and Church street. The first floor will be used for a wholesale and retail store, and the second floor for an assembly hall, conducted by the Womans' Club.

We are soon to have a new road to Santa Rosa, going through Graham Canyon. Dr. O'Donnell has given forty feet of roadway, beginning on Church street at Park avenue, leading up to the old fish dam. The supervisors have the money in hand, and the land will be deeded and the bridge built immediately after the 6th of January. This will make a fine road to Santa Rosa, and will one and a quarter miles shorter than the one we now have, being perfectly level and smooth, and avoiding the long and steep hill passing the blacksmith shop.

The big event of the season so anxiously anticipated, the opening dance given by the Glen Ellen Womans' Club, is now one of the things of the past, a happy remembrance of a most successful and enjoyable evening. Everything was of the highest state of perfection, from Professor Shieck's music to the bountifully spread tables with every variety of cakes, salads, cold meats and fruits. A spirit of good cheer and happiness flooded the atmosphere, and mirth music and hilarity was everywhere. Mrs. Corbally, bright, piquant and chery, was floor manager, assisted by the Misses Monahan, Shirley, Cornish and Thompson, and "all went merrily as a marriage bell." Mrs. O'Donnell is a great acquisition to the club. She has the finest home in the county, immense possessions which she beautifies and improves in a very artistic manner. She is very stirring and active, and eminently qualified for the position she holds and fills so efficiently and gracefully. All recognize her business sagacity and executive force. She is well versed in parliamentary rules, having had much experience. She formerly served as Chief Conductor of Chosen Friends, Past President of Native

Daughters, Past Grand President of Knights Ladies of Honor, and Past Officer of American Legion of Honor. There is no doubt but all the ladies who have gone into this work will meet with perfect success. Their interests lie in the beauty of the country and surroundings. All have homes here, and are greatly interested in the welfare of the town. It is well known to every one that where women have been admitted to any organizations they have made good officers, and are most devoted to the cause. Every town and hamlet should have its Womans' Improvement Club, then our country would become like a beautiful garden. Glen Ellen is one of the prettiest places of the land, affording finest views, healthful climate, nice mineral springs of water, composed of sulphur, iron, magnesia and soda. The railroad has certainly overlooked beautifying their grounds in our lively town. In other places they have made pretty little parks, planted them to flowers and shrubs and kept them in a neat and clean condition. We have plenty of ground here; it is not improved any, and it is to the interest of the women to work for this end. This is the terminus, and they have every opportunity of making a lovely spot of it. The railroad, if asked, would probably do their part, as they will reap the benefit of these improvements in the increased demand for beautiful homes in our midst.

CHAPPLE.
Glen Ellen, Dec. 23, 1904.

Parties Who Stole Rig Are Located.

A. D. Alfredo and a companion, who hired a horse and buggy from Granville Harris last August and then sold the rig and skipped out, were located this week by Deputy Sheriff Joe Ryan. Ryan got word from Los Angeles that they were there, and went down Thursday to take them into custody.

Card of Thanks.

The sorrowing widow and children of the late John Baines here, with desire to thank the many kind friends and acquaintances who gave so many evidences of their heartfelt and comforting sympathy, and beautiful floral offerings during the sad hours of their bereavement of a loving husband and father.

McIntosh Convicted.

L. D. Batchelor, who charged Charles McIntosh with trespassing, had the case aired in Judge Small's court this week, with the result that McIntosh was found guilty. He will be sentenced Monday.

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A. D. LOWELL
LAID TO REST

Passing of a Well Known Fruit Raiser After a Lingering Illness.

A. D. Lowell, the well known fruit raiser, for many years a resident of this valley, passed away last Friday night, after a lingering illness, and was laid to rest on Sunday.

Mr. Lowell came to Sonoma many years ago, and accumulated considerable property, among which is the fine ranch and cherry orchards on the Napa road. He leaves a wife and several children to mourn his loss. Dr. Charles Lowell and Fred Lowell of San Francisco are sons, and Mabel Lowell the only daughter. He also leaves two young sons who reside here.

The funeral took place on Sunday from his late residence, and was largely attended. The floral offerings were very beautiful.

CHAPPLE.
Glen Ellen, Dec. 23, 1904.

Parties Who Stole Rig Are Located.

A. D. Alfredo and a companion, who hired a horse and buggy from Granville Harris last August and then sold the rig and skipped out, were located this week by Deputy Sheriff Joe Ryan. Ryan got word from Los Angeles that they were there, and went down Thursday to take them into custody.

Card of Thanks.

The sorrowing widow and children of the late John Baines here, with desire to thank the many kind friends and acquaintances who gave so many evidences of their heartfelt and comforting sympathy, and beautiful floral offerings during the sad hours of their bereavement of a loving husband and father.

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H. M. GRANICE, Editor.

BALANCING RESULTS

THE LAW OF CONSEQUENCES AND THE PROBLEMS OF LIFE

Good or Evil in Things is Discovered by Observations of Consequences. Results are Determined by the Consequences of Human Actions.

A reaction is the consequence of an action; an effect is the consequence of a cause; a result is the consequence of an antecedent. It is evident that the words reaction, effect, result and consequence express different manifestations of one law, usually called the law of causation, though it would be, I believe, more correctly named the law of consequences.

We shall understand more clearly the interactions in human affairs when we recognize that the meaning of the words reaction, effect and result is included in the word consequence. We may doubt the importance of reaction in our affairs, but we shall not doubt the importance of consequences.

We are compelled to give consideration to consequences in the most trivial affairs. One has consequences in view when he strikes a match, sets a pot to boil, plants a seed, pulls a weed, sharpens a pencil, mends a fence. Shall I take an umbrella? I balance the danger of rain against the annoyance of the umbrella and decide accordingly. Shall I change my coat? Take another cup of coffee? Walk or ride? Each question will be decided in accordance with my estimate of the balance of results. In considering possible advantages or disadvantages, gains or losses, we are balancing consequences, endeavoring to anticipate and weigh the results of our actions.

Regret is usually a reminder of a neglect or misjudgment of consequences, while repentance and reformation indicate a waking up concerning consequences. Our interest, curiosity, anxieties, fears, hopes and ambitions are concentrated upon consequences. We seek advice when we are doubtful about consequences. Precepts and examples elucidate consequences. We work and rest, eat and drink, scheme and plan, spend and save, for consequences.

The lesson of consequences which the individual often learns slowly and imperfectly the sound business organizations acquire quickly and enforce by discipline. The salesman in a successful store are characterized by tidiness, promptness and a desire to please; the employees of the important railroads are not even permitted to answer insult with insult. The industry that is intelligently managed will avoid misrepresentation and deception, knowing that a reputation for truth and fairness is vital to continuous success. The shrewdest maxims of trade are built upon the observation of consequences.

That mind is the strongest which has the clearest judgment of consequences. The fools are those who know little about consequences. The child must be guarded because it is ignorant of consequences. What we know of narcotics, stimulants, antidotes, hygiene, surgery, chemistry, agriculture, mechanics, commerce, culture, we know through the observation of consequences. The best razor, plow, sanitary system, plan of social betterment, is that which produces the best results. Knowledge, learning and experience deal wholly with cause and consequence. The science of astronomy seeks to comprehend the heavenly bodies and their influences upon each other. The science of chemistry explains the consequences of chemical action. The science of political economy aims to distinguish and mark the good and evil results of different systems of land tenure, taxation, trade and finance. The science of government would determine what political system is best for a people. The science of war seeks to know what arms, equipments, forces and maneuvers will inflict the greatest injury upon the enemy with a minimum of expenditure. The science of language deals with the utility of words, pronunciation and forms of expression. And so on through the whole of human experience knowledge seeks to distinguish that which has the best results from that which has inferior or evil results.

Our ideas of right and wrong are due to the nature of the responses to human actions. How do we know that truth is better than falsehood? Because we are better pleased with ourselves when we speak truthfully than when we lie; because truth is essential to understanding; because we despise lying in others; because lying leads to confusion, uncertainty, chaos, enmity and to other evil consequences. And so also we have formed a judgment of loyalty and treachery, cruelty and kindness, virtue and vice, by their consequences.

Our laws, customs and commandments would not prove to us that truth is better than lying if our own experience did not confirm it. The Decalogue is effective only so far as nature corroborates it.

Our common conceptions of morality are the results of the observation of human actions and their consequences—of cause and effect, of action and reaction. We know that certain actions are right and others wrong as we know that bread is good and straw bad for food; that light clothing is more useful in summer than in winter; that cleanliness is better than filthiness; that the way to walk is forward, not backward; that mirth is pleasanter than grief.

As the value of a machine or implement is shown in its working and the value of a tree by its fruit, so the merit or demerit of food, drink, medicine, acts and thoughts is determined by their results, reactions or effects—by their consequences. From "Balance: The Fundamental Verity," by Orlando A. Smith.

PUT ON THE BRAKES.

Slow Up, or Before You Know It You May Be Off the Track.

The limited goes sixty miles an hour. In the smoker men joke and play cards and tell risqué stories. The day coaches are crowded and comfortable. The heavy sleepers as they sway to and fro make only a gentle rocking for the people who chat and read and nap. Crash! Engine and cars and flesh and blood are ground up together in a shapeless, horrid mass. Off the track!

So goes humanity's train. Here is a boy who got to running on a fast schedule. He began by pilfering from his father's till. As he grew older he made faster time. Down grade he goes, and soon comes the crash. Newsboys cry a murder and a suicide. The crowd waits for a moment. His friends murmur, "I never thought he was so bad!" A young man is off the track!

A young girl thinks her mother is too slow for these record breaking times. Mother is "old fashioned." The girl goes to places her mother has warned her she should not frequent. The bloom is brushed from the fruit.

One day a brazen, drunken creature, cursing and shrieking, is loaded into the patrol wagon. A woman is off the track!

A man gets in a hurry to be rich. His father went slowly, carefully, successfully. But father's methods will not do. What's the use of mulling and toiling when a quicker way may well do the business? So-and-so has speculated successfully. Surely I am as shrewd as he. * * * A pistol shot. A man is off the track!

Our age is a rapid one. Business and society go at a sixty mile clip. Rather than be sidetracked for a time men will drive their trains into the ditch. Many of them run wild. There are frequent collisions and wrecks innumerable by getting off the track.

Look out, thriving but venturesome merchant and reckless young woman and gay young man! The race is not to the swift alone. Put on the brakes. Slow up, or before you know it you will be off the track.—Milwaukee Journal.

THINK OVER THESE.

Why are all cowpaths crooked?

How old must a grapevine be before it begins to bear?

What wood will bear the greatest weight before breaking?

Can you tell why leaves turn upside down just before a rain?

You can see any day a white horse, but did you ever see a white colt?

Why does a horse eat grass backward and a cow forward?

Why does a hop vine wind one way and a bean vine the other?

Where should a chimney be the larger, at the top or bottom, and why?

How many different kinds of trees grow in your neighborhood and what are they good for?

Can you tell why a horse when tethered with a rope always unravels it, while a cow always twists it into a kinky knot?—Wesleyan Advocate.

Escaped the "Might Have Been."

"Yes," said the gentle optimist, "I confess I am superstitious enough to wear a lucky stone."

"And do you really think it gives you luck?"

"Oh, I am quite sure of it."

"Did you have it with you yesterday?"

"Certainly."

"And in spite of it you lost a five dollar gold piece, tore your coat by catching it on a nail, sprained your ankle and failed to close the business deal of which you expected so much?"

"True," replied the gentle optimist, "but think of what might have happened to me if I hadn't had my lucky stone!"—New York Press.

Colchester's Thanksgiving Pies.

Many funny stories are told of the early Thanksgiving days. The town of Colchester, for instance, calmly ignored the day appointed by the governor and held its own Thanksgiving a week later.

When the sleep from New York brought a hoghead of molasses for times Thanksgiving was not forgotten. The council of Massachusetts recommended that Nov. 16, 1776, be set aside for "acknowledgments for mercies enjoyed." In the next year Samuel Adams recommended a form of Thanksgiving proclamation to the Continental congress.

Merely Existed.

A number of lawyers were exchanging stories of their experiences with witnesses under examination. One of the parties told the following: He was questioning a witness and said: "You have lived in New York a number of years. How long?" "Just twenty-five years." "Where did you live before that time?" asked the lawyer, hoping to prove an important point. "I didn't live," replied the witness. "I was single!"

Not a Bit Like a Cat.

Lady Visitor—Your little girl seems to be very much taken with me, Mrs. Stepswell. Mrs. Stepswell—Yes, and she doesn't often take to strangers. You think Mrs. Kippur is real nice, don't you, Agnes? Agnes—You said she was a cat, mamma, but she doesn't look a bit like one.—Exchange.

Paying Trials.

Gaggy—Jones is very wealthy, but he says his life is full of trials. Waggy—Yes; that's what makes him wealthy. "How so?" "He's a lawyer."—Cincinnati Commercial Tribune.

More Information Needed.

Ward—What do you think of a man who sells his vote? Street—Which side did he sell it to?—Boston Transcript.

She Had Her Way.

The late Counselor E., chairman of the quarter sessions for Dublin, was so remarkable for his leniency to female culprits that a woman was seldom convicted when he presided.

On one occasion, when this humane barrister was in the chair a prim looking woman was put to the bar of the commission court, at which presided the equally humane though perhaps not so gallant Baron S.

She was indicted for uttering forged bank notes. According to usual forms of law, the clerk of the crown asked the prisoner if she was ready to take her trial.

With becoming disdain she answered "No." She was told by the clerk she must give her reasons why.

As if scorning to hold conversation with the official, she thus addressed his lordship: "My lord, I won't be tried here at all. I'll be tried by my Lord E."

The simplicity of the woman, coupled with the well known character of E., caused a roar of laughter in the court which even the bench could not resist.

Baron S., with his usual mildness, was about to explain the impossibility of her being tried by the popular judge and said, "He can't try you," when the woman stopped him short and, with an inimitable sneer, exclaimed:

"Can't try me? I beg your pardon, my lord; he tried me twice before."

She was tried, however, and for the third time acquitted.

Where Time Is Nothing.

Miss Mary E. Dunham in her book of travels through the Balkan states says she found that the idea of women traveling without a male escort in those countries struck the people whom she met as most singular. A Montenegrin was also astonished at an expenditure of money upon travel which seemed to him without an adequate purpose.

The English, he had been told, wanted to see and know everything. They traveled everywhere. It must be a very expensive habit. It had perhaps cost me £8, he suggested, to come this distance. I admitted that it had, and he expressed great astonishment at the lavish expenditure.

"And it takes not only money, but time," said my companion.

He laughed merrily. "Time! What is time? Time is nothing. You live, and then you die." The idea of reckoning "time" amused him vastly.

"Time," said a Hungarian who was of the party, in order to show his superior knowledge, "is thought very much of by the English. I have been told that they have a proverb which says, 'Time is money.'"

We corroborated this report, to the astonishment of both men, for even the Hungarian thought this was going rather far. The Montenegrin thought it one of the wildest statements he had ever met with and shook his puzzled head.

"I was much afflicted with sciatica," writes Ed. C. Nud, Iowaville, Seligwick Co., Kan., "going about on crutches and suffering a deal of pain. I was induced to try Ballard's Snow Liniment, which relieved me. I used three 50c bottles. It is the greatest liniment I ever used; have recommended it to a number of persons; all express themselves as being benefited by it. I now walk without crutches, able to do a full day's work of light labor on the farm." 25c, 50c, \$1.00. Sold by L. S. Simmons, prescription druggist, Sonoma, Cal.

The Archbishop's Suggestion.

The late Archbishop Corrigan was one of the gentlest of men, but when it was necessary to remove any one under his charge, whether priest or layman, he never hesitated to do so. At one time there was a vacancy in the rectorship of one of the large churches in New York city, and several clergymen were talked about for the position. Two prominent women who were members of the church called upon the archbishop and urged the selection of one of their clerical friends. As they were leaving one woman turned to the other and said impressively:

"When you get home pray that the Holy Ghost may give the archbishop the grace to appoint the right man."

Like a flash the archbishop turned around and said in joy tones:

"While you are at it ask the Holy Ghost to give women the grace to attend to their own business."—Harper's Weekly.

Cured Paralysis.

W. S. Bailly, P. O. True, Texas, writes: "My wife had been suffering five years with paralysis in her arm, when I was persuaded to use Ballard's Snow Liniment, which cured her all right. I have also used it for old sores, frostbites and skin eruptions. It does the work." 25c, 50c, \$1.00. Sold by L. S. Simmons, prescription druggist, Sonoma, Cal.

Love.

Lord Byron, brilliant, beautiful and unscrupulous as his own Don Juan, left behind him the maxim that there was but one real form of happiness in love—where a man and woman so adored each other that they could conceive of no happiness out of each other's sight, and this for their whole lives. Grant that it is to demand a great deal, yet it is true that all the influences of long life combine to identify two who dwell together. Their very faces often grow more alike, and how frequently the death of one is followed speedily, without sufficient visible reason, by that of the other also!

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NOTICE OF TIME AND PLACE FOR PROVING WILL.

IN THE SUPERIOR COURT IN AND FOR THE COUNTY OF SONOMA, STATE OF CALIFORNIA.

In the matter of the estate of Thomas Skelton Glaister, deceased.

Notice is hereby given that Monday, the 19th day of December, A. D. 1904, at 10 o'clock A. M. of said day, and in the courtroom of said Superior Court, in Department One thereof, in the City of Santa Rosa, county of Sonoma, State of California, is hereby fixed and appointed as the time and place for proving the will of said Thomas Skelton Glaister, deceased, and for the hearing by the Court of the application of Blanche Elizabeth Wagner, for the issuance to her of letters testamentary thereon.

Dated November 28, A. D. 1904.

(SEAL) P. L. WRIGHT, Clerk.

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